



Keepers of the Land AmeriCorps Program Iowa Department of Natural Resources



AmeriCorps Position Description Madison County Areas

Watershed and Natural Resource Improvement Coordinator

Full-time (12 months – minimum of 1,700 hours) AmeriCorps Position

- Conduct natural resource enhancement through exotic species removal; habitat restorations; prescribed burning; timber stand improvement; and tree plantation maintenance
- Participate in River Clean-Up Committee (Madison County River Rescue Alliance) and help coordinate Annual Weekend River Clean-Up project
- Form land-owner groups to apply for watershed grants
- Work with property owners on shoreline restorations
- Provide environmental education programs at summer camps, fall camporee activities, and other community programs
- Enhance trails through foot bridge and trail signage maintenance and trail erosion prevention
- Design and implement AmeriCorps community service projects
- Fulfill all required AmeriCorps program activities as outlined in the member handbook and contract
- Generate volunteers